

## Mental Health

**Percentage (%) of new mothers in Illinois who reported taking medication for depression  
Among mothers who reported a diagnosis of postpartum depression**

**Survey Question 75:** Since your new baby was born, have you taken prescription medicine for your depression?

	Percentage <sup>1</sup>	95% CI <sup>2</sup>	Respondents <sup>3</sup>	Estimated Population Affected <sup>4</sup>
Yes	57.5	46.9 - 67.4	67	5,944

**Percentage (%) of new mothers in Illinois who reported receiving counseling for depression  
Among new mothers who reported a diagnosis of postpartum depression**

**Survey Question 76:** Since your new baby was born, have you gotten counseling for your depression?

	Percentage <sup>1</sup>	95% CI <sup>2</sup>	Respondents <sup>3</sup>	Estimated Population Affected <sup>4</sup>
Yes	37.2	27.8 - 47.7	42	3,847

<sup>1</sup>Percentage = Weighted percentage of Illinois mothers giving birth to live infants in 2014 who responded Yes to the survey question for the specified indicator

<sup>2</sup>CI = confidence interval

<sup>3</sup>Respondents (N) = Total number of mothers who responded Yes to the survey question for the specified indicator

<sup>4</sup>Estimated population affected = Estimated number of Illinois mothers giving birth in 2014 who would respond Yes to the survey question for the specified indicator